

NEWS RELEASE

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United States Attorney Joe Stecher and the FBI announce the following information for the attention of the media:

Event Triggering this Release: On July 24, 2009, Chief United States District Court Judge Joseph F. Bataillon sentenced Logan Saul to 46 months imprisonment and three years of supervised release following his conviction of assault with a deadly weapon. Saul was further ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$4,821.00.

On November 14, 2008, the victim and his girlfriend were laying in bed in their home on the Santee Indian Reservation when a group of males, without provocation, came into the room and attacked the victim. He was pulled out of bed and into the living room. After the victim was dragged to the living room, Saul began to beat, kick and stab the victim. The others involved in the initial attack on the victim left the house while Saul continued his attack. When Saul finished, he ran out of the house and told the others he thought he had killed the victim. The victim was taken to the hospital where it was determined he had suffered numerous serious wounds to his chest, face and back.

Name of Defendant: Logan Tyronne Saul

AKA:

Age: 19

City of residence: Niobrara, Nebraska

Crime(s) Charged and Potential Penalty (A CHARGE is merely an accusation and every defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty): Assault with a dangerous weapon in violation of 18 U.S.C. §113(a)(3). The maximum statutory punishment is ten years of imprisonment and/or a \$250,000 fine and three years of supervised release.

Specific Location of Alleged Crime: Niobrara, Nebraska

Location of Arrest: Niobrara, Nebraska

Alleged Dollar Loss/Type and Quantity of Drug:

Others Charged in Same Scheme:

Relevant Dates:

Date of Alleged Crime: November 14, 2008

Federal Arrest Date: January 7, 2009

Date Complaint Issued:

Indictment Returned Date: December 17, 2008

Initial Appearance Date: January 8, 2009

Plea or Trial and Date(s): March 31, 2009

Sentencing Date: July 24, 2009

Next Court Hearing Type and Date:

Assigned Magistrate Judge: Honorable Thomas D. Thalken

Held without Bond, or Released from Custody: held without bond

In Continuous Custody Since: January 7, 2009

Assigned District Court Judge: Honorable Joseph F. Bataillon, Chief United States District

Court Judge.

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